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August 2, 2011

Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: IB Docket No. 11-109

To Whom It May Concern:

I want to take this opportunity to comment on the proposal by LightSquared Subsidiary, LLC to create a nationwide broadband network and its possible effect on GPS devices.

While I understand the need for better and more effective broadband services throughout the United States, I have concerns over the possibility that the technology utilized by LightSquared will overpower the existing, weaker GPS signals used by consumers and industry, particularly so in my rural district. The use of GPS signals have become widely utilized for numerous industrial, commercial, and consumer applications that this broadband network could negatively affect.

I urge the FCC to ensure that before approving the proposal by LightSquared that the GPS signal question be resolved, so that it may not inconvenience the wider population.

Thank you for time and consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Matt Lori,
State Representative
District 59

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